

## ANOTHER HOLT CASE

(From Thursday's Advertiser.)

An order to show cause, returnable on Monday, November 13, at 10 a. m., has been made by Judge Robinson on the petition of Helen A. Holt, guardian of Valentine S., Wattie E., Amelia A., Helene A., James B. and Irene N. Holt, minors, for license to sell real estate. The wards are children of petitioner and James R. Holt, deceased. Their estate is property inherited from their father and consists principally of real estate situated in Honolulu and elsewhere in the Island of Oahu.

Petitioner states that the debts owing by James R. Holt at his death amounted to approximately \$28,000, which has been reduced to \$8000 secured by mortgages. The income of the minors consists entirely of rentals from lands in the district of Waialua and from the Holt building on Nuuanu street, but to hold tenants in the building rents have had to be materially reduced. At the same time the expenses of the minors have increased, so that petitioner has had to borrow money on mortgages to the amount of about \$3000 on their behalf. Owing to mortgages of \$3000 on the Holt building and \$5000 on the homestead in Makiki, the administration of the estate of James R. Holt, father of the minors, has not been closed. There is no personal property, other than household furniture and a few horses, belonging to the minors. Under a license granted by the court last year an attempt was made to sell a lot on Maunakea street, but the only bid obtained was the sum of \$1000, which being grossly inadequate the court refused to confirm the sale.

It is next related in detail that the minors own an undivided one-twenty-seventh part of five certain pieces and an undivided one-ninth part of one piece of land in Waialua district, and that on March 17, 1905, petitioner with others executed a lease of these lands to the Waialua Agricultural Co. for 25 years from April 1, 1905, at a total annual rent of \$9000, of which sum the minors and petitioner are receiving \$333.33 a year.

A responsible party has offered petitioner \$6000 for the said one-twenty-seventh and one-ninth parts of said lands, which in the opinion of petitioner is a reasonable and fair price therefor and equal to the amount which has recently been paid for like interests in said lands. Believing that it would be for the best interests of the minors to sell the shares of lands in question, provided that an upset price of \$6000 were fixed, and that the proceeds be used for the payment of the indebtedness incurred for the minors and the balance applied on the mortgage indebtedness of their father's estate, the guardian prays for a license to sell the property at public auction, said upset price being fixed, the proceeds to be applied as stated.

### MAILE VS. CARTER.

There was an extended hearing yesterday before Chief Justice Frear, in the case of Koolau Maile and others against J. O. Carter and others, on the application of the respondents, through their counsel, Kinney, McManahan & Cooper, for an assessment of damages under a bond given in connection with a restraining order. The objections to the jurisdiction of the Chief Justice were overruled. A strong affidavit on the part of the complainants by Henry E. Highton and C. W. Ashford was filed in which, in answer to the affidavit of E. B. McManahan, annexed to the application, the following paragraph occurred:

"That they absolutely disclaim and emphatically deny the imputation with which the said affidavit is replete that the delay in the trial of the action of ejectment in the said affidavit mentioned has been occasioned by any unusual proceedings on their part or on the part of either of them in the matter of postponements of the said trial or by any proceedings not strictly within the lines of ordinary professional duty, and they are unconscious of any special weight in the respondents or their counsel that should have prevented the exercise or enforcement, through the channels of the law, of the rights they conceive the complainants and appellants to possess."

The hearing on the merits was contested by E. B. McManahan for the applicants and by Henry E. Highton for the complainants. The application was denied.

### COURT NOTES.

The trial of Fushimura for attempted bribery of W. T. Rawlins, while the latter was Deputy Sheriff, is set for trial before Judge Robinson this morning.

Owing to change of counsel the case of Ah Lum, lottery, was continued for trial until Monday.

The case of Murray vs. Davis having been settled out of court, Judge De Bolt had no jury trial yesterday.

The order to show cause, relative to alimony, in the Silva divorce case was continued by Judge Robinson yesterday until Saturday, November 11.

The county election case of Fernandez vs. Adams will be heard on demurrer by the Supreme Court tomorrow. Ashford, Edings and Watson for complainant; acting Attorney General Peters for respondent.

Judge Robinson appointed Charles F. Chillingworth, Harry Armitage and M. T. Simonton appraisers of the estate of Cordelia Hastings Brown, deceased.

## FRED. C. BALDWIN DIED LAST NIGHT

Fred Chambers Baldwin died in New York City last night at half-past nine, after an illness of about a week. He left Honolulu on September 8, for a vacation trip, apparently in perfect health. He was also perfectly well upon his arrival in San Francisco and

departure for the East. The next known was a telegram from New York to the effect that he had been operated upon by Dr. Bull for peritonitis, caused by a rupture of the appendix, on October 5.

Since that time Mr. Baldwin's life has been hanging in the balance, and up to yesterday there seemed a fair chance of his recovery, especially as Dr. Bull is one of the leading specialists in abdominal surgery, but a turn for the worse came yesterday. His brothers Arthur, Frank and Sam and his sister Charlotte were with him at the time of his death. His father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Baldwin, are at home on Maui. Of the other members of his family, his brother, H. A. Baldwin, is at Hamakua, Maui, and his brother, Dr. William Baldwin, and his sister, Mrs. J. P. Cooke, are in Honolulu.

Fred Baldwin was born at Sunny Side, Paia, Maui, August 9, 1881, being therefore a little over twenty-four years of age.

He was educated first at the Oakland High School and afterwards prepared for college at Hotchkiss Academy, Lakeville, Connecticut.

He entered Yale in 1900 and graduated in the class of 1904 and was a great favorite with his classmates. He was a member of the Wolf's Head Senior Society, and of the Alpha Delta Phi fraternity, being president of the latter in his senior year. He was the recipient of many other social honors while in college. He took a keen interest in athletic matters, being captain of the Yale polo team during his last year in college.

From boyhood up he was an expert horseman and able to handle a lasso like a professional. Immediately after graduation from college, Mr. Baldwin returned home, eager to get to work, for there was not a lazy bone in his body. The possibilities of sisal appealed to him, and he took charge of the sisal plantation which the Maui Agricultural Company is establishing at Halku. He also became manager of the ranch department of the same company, a position which he was peculiarly fitted to fill, owing to his great interest in, and fondness for, animals.

After a strenuous year of hard work, he was about to take a position in the plantation department of the company. He came to Honolulu at the end of July as a member of the Maui polo team and played in the first match against the Honolulu club. The trip to New York was to have been a brief vacation before he again buckled down to work.

Fred Baldwin had but a brief career, but he proved himself to be of sterling character, worthy of the honored name which he bore, and had endeared himself to all who knew him by his kindly manners and generous nature.

The heart of the community will go out in sympathy for the bereaved family, who have so suddenly and unexpectedly lost a good son and a loving brother. The loss to the community will also be deeply felt, as young men of Fred Baldwin's fibre are none too plenty anywhere, and in Hawaii such as he count for much and can ill be spared.

## NEWS OF THE VOLCANO ISLAND

HILO, Oct. 10.—The Tribune says: James K. Apiki, Jr., a well known Hawaiian boy, who has been employed by Joe Yieria, suffered burns from an overturned lamp Saturday night, from which there are small hopes of his recovery. With a companion he was sleeping off the effects of a drunken debauch in a house belonging to Hau-malai in Puuoe. They went to sleep on a mattress on the floor, beside which was a burning kerosene lamp. Apiki in some way overturned the lamp in his sleep and awakened to find himself and the house in flames. The woolen sweater which he wore was afire and he jumped headlong from a second story window. Policemen Kaina and Simeona standing near the corner of Amakulu street heard the cries for help, and rushing to the rescue succeeded in extinguishing the burning clothing of the terrified man. Dr. Holland was called and dressed the man's wounds, which extend over the upper part of his body. The second sleeper was awakened by the noise and smothered the flames which were making headway on the burning mattress.

**HIS WORK IN CONGRESS.**  
Delegate Kalaniana'ole addressed a good-sized gathering of Hilo citizens last night at Fireman's Hall upon his work in Congress. His remarks were in Hawaiian, as most of the audience were native sons. He spoke of his efforts to secure appropriations for the islands, and especially for the Hilo breakwater and federal buildings. He gave assurances of his belief that in the coming session Hawaii would be well taken care of. The delegate is accompanied by his wife. They have been visiting the Woods in Kohala and at Mana. After a few days here, they will proceed to the Volcano House, where they expect to remain for two weeks or longer, before returning to Washington.

**BATTLED WITH SHARKS.**  
Word is received of the thrilling adventure of two Hawaiians at Kawaihae about ten days ago. While out fishing in a Japanese sampan, the boat suddenly overturned in a squall and unable to right the craft, the two men clung to the side of the vessel for over thirty hours. They remained in the water without food or drink from Tuesday noon till Wednesday night, when other fishermen accidentally came upon them. They relate a thrilling account of their experience fighting off sharks which hovered around the boat.

**MADE A RECORD TRIP.**  
Mr. and Mrs. C. Castendyk returned on Wednesday last from an extensive visit to Germany. They brought with them Miss Carol Reid, who, during their absence has been staying with her mother's relatives in Honolulu. Mr. and Mrs. Castendyk made the record trip from Honolulu to New York in ten days, taking advantage of the fast Twentieth Century Limited between Chicago and New York, which has since cut down the time between these two points to eighteen hours.

## KAUAI POLICE MIXED UP IN LOCAL GAMBLING HUI

The Garden Isle says: We received a detailed statement of the operations and expenses of a gambling hui here on Kauai last week, but could to our regret not give it to the public as the "Citizen" who wrote the letter omitted to let us know who he really was.

That his information was in the main correct seems to be borne out by the action of the Board of Supervisors at their last meeting in discharging the policeman in Hanapepe, which place was named by the informant as one of the principal places of operation. Of course, there is always, and we suppose will always be, a certain amount of gambling going on as well here as elsewhere, but when the bank can afford to spend \$1700 a month in furthering its interests, it shows that the business has assumed a proportion a little out of the common.

The Board's action indicates that the policeman in Hanapepe has been found implicated; we suppose that he has admitted his guilt or had some kind of a trial, but there was nothing in the Board's proceedings at the meeting to show that such had been the case. If

it does not care to lay itself open to the charge of race prejudice or of racism it ought to come out in the open.

The information leading to this incident indicated a place, much nearer Lihue than Hanapepe is, as the headquarters of the bank. The Deputy Sheriff and police officers at that place are presumably not any better than the one discharged and ought to be treated in a similar manner.

### ACTION OF SUPERVISORS.

The Board also decided to discharge the Hanapepe policeman and authorized the Sheriff to appoint another in his place. A very detailed information of an active gambling hui, spending all kinds of money, has been received by several of the county officials last week and the reason for above discharge is probably to be found in an assumed or proved connection between the man and the hui. The only reason for the discharge of the man given at the meeting was that the conditions in Hanapepe were not satisfactory. There was no mention of the conditions of the two other districts in which the gambling was going on according to the same source of information, and where also the home of the hui is situated.

## DOMICILED LABOR POLICY IS MAKING HEADWAY

Secretary A. L. C. Atkinson, as president of the Board of Immigration, feels greatly encouraged by the responses he has already received from planters to his declared policy of promoting the policy of a domiciled labor element. Yesterday he gave a talk to an Advertiser reporter on the subject.

"By the way," he started out, "Clarance L. Crabbe has been appointed clerk to the Board of Immigration and not secretary. Commissioner Joseph P. Cooke is the secretary."

"Well, respecting the work with Mr. Crabbe's assistance, the first thing we do is to gather statistics of labor in this country. We want to know in detail what are the labor conditions here, figures on the people employed. Also we want to keep tab on the arrivals and departures of people, especially the Japanese and Koreans."

"I hope in time to be able to take over the work that is being very successfully done by Mr. R. D. Mead, secretary of the Hawaiian Sugar Planters' Association—that is, the securing of employment for American citizens on our plantations."

"From figures that were supplied to me during my recent travels around the islands, I do not mind saying that the people of this Territory will be greatly surprised to find out how heartily the planters are failing in

with the idea of employing as many natives and Portuguese as possible.

"While no doubt more can be done in this line, still I am more than pleased at the attitude of most of our plantations. All that is contemplated can not be done in a day. We must not expect too great an industrial change all at once, but the tide has turned and it is a fact that the planters are working in true earnest to improve the citizenship status of this Territory. I say this from figures that I already have, and I must add that it is a great satisfaction to me to get such encouragement in this work."

"Now that the tide has changed the next step will be to get such white labor domiciled as was proposed at the latest meeting of the Board of Immigration."

"All of the directorates of the plantations have not as yet been able to get together on the question of turning over homesteads, or houses and lots, to those laborers that stay a certain number of years on our plantations."

"This domiciling of our labor is, in a great measure, going to solve certain phases of the labor problem. You mark my word, when I say that the plantations which domicile their labor will occupy a greatly improved position as compared with those continuing to depend on nomadic labor. They will do better by their stockholders and their capital stocks will be enhanced in value as securities."

"Let me say right here that Judge Dole's paper in the Advertiser was great. He struck the nail right on the head."

## PUBLIC WORKS REPORT FOR YEAR ENDING JUNE 30

What has been done and doing, what has been expended and what, from revenue producing utilities, has been realized, in the Department of Public Works for the year ending June 30, 1905, also what is deemed necessary and desirable to be done, with the available resources, in that department for the current period, are all supposed to be set down in the fifth annual report of the Superintendent of Public Works to the Governor which has just been issued as a printed document of 212 pages.

Superintendent Holloway, in the main report, mentions the bond issue of \$2,000,000 issued against loan appropriations of \$2,397,270.75. From a recapitulation to which he refers, he states that "it will be seen that there was a balance unexpended on June 30, 1905, amounting to \$634,529.72. Of this sum, \$598,583.72 is reserved for uncompleted contracts, leaving \$35,946.00. This balance is now available for new work authorized by the Legislature for the biennial period ending June 30, 1907, and includes the premium secured from the sale of the bonds of \$1,626.00."

Referring to the appointment of a supervising engineer for each island, Mr. Holloway says: "It is impracticable to attempt the personal direction of such a large amount of work on the other islands without such assistance, as it would necessitate the almost constant absence from Honolulu of the Assistant Superintendent or myself."

### WHARVES AND LANDINGS.

Under the head of loan appropriations, mention is made of the awarding of the contract for dredging the new slip at the foot of Alakea street in December last to John Walker for \$168,000. It should be completed in January, 1906." Mr. Holloway goes on to say:

"Preliminary plans have been prepared for the new wharves, and it is my present intention to dredge one-half of Slip No. 2 at the foot of Kilauea street so that both sides of the first wharf to be built will be available. The second wharf, immediately adjacent to the Naval docks, will also be constructed providing sufficient funds are available. The plans for the shed on the first wharf will provide for a two-story building so as to facilitate the handling of passengers arriving on the large steamers."

Mention is made of the Federal contract to widen the channel entrance and deepen the entire harbor, with a hope expressed that the Federal au-

thorities will undertake removal of the sandpit on the lighthouse site, the Superintendent adding:

"During the past year a new wharf was completed at the foot of Fort St. next to the Oceanic dock, and the construction of a new wharf at the foot of Nuuanu street for the use of the Inter-island steamers is now under way."

A new wharf was completed at Laha and a contract awarded for a new wharf at McGregor's landing, Maui. A substantial new wharf, on a new location, was constructed at Kawaihae, Hawaii, also a new landing at Hanapepe, Kauai.

### ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Following are extracts from the report under this head:

"A large number of new roads have been constructed during the past year, the most important improvements being the relocation of certain portions of the main belt roads on the various islands."

"In the districts of Hamakua and

North Hilo, the construction of roads on light grades has been found very difficult owing to the great number of gulches between Honokaa and Hilo."

Grades in gulches have been reduced to a maximum of about six per cent. Mr. Holloway recommends ample drainage and rock top-dressing in wet districts, also suggests the use of oil to prevent the washing of roads.

"On the island of Maui, an extension of the main belt road in the Nahiku and Keanae districts is about completed. Very rough country is encountered in these districts, and on account of the great expense of road construction the road has been made as narrow as possible in order to construct, with the money available, the maximum length of road."

"On Kauai, the Kallihwai-Hanalei road has been finished; also numerous concrete culverts. The modified grades on this new road makes the handling of freight by wagons between the districts of Kallihwai and Hanalei much easier."

"In Honolulu, a 60-foot extension of School street has been partially completed, and, although in the opinion of many the road is too wide, I feel that with the possibility as some future date of the Rapid Transit Company desiring to lay a two-track system on this street it would have been inadvisable to construct the road on narrower lines. It has also been found that many of the streets in Honolulu built several years ago are too narrow and often it is difficult to secure the additional right of way for street widening without great expense."

Roads reaching into the Manoa and Palolo valleys were partially completed during the past year, and it is to be hoped that sufficient additional funds will be available to complete this work."

"In the district of Ewa and Waialae most of the old wooden bridges have been replaced with substantial concrete culverts and approaches. These are of permanent construction, and with the improvements made to the main government road, the highways of this district are now in excellent shape."

"During the past year \$8.89 miles of new roads have been completed."

### HONOLULU ROADS.

Road Supervisor Sam Johnson concludes his report with the following statement of expenditures on Honolulu roads:

R. & R. 4th Dist. Hon.....	\$75,000.52
R. & B. Dist. Hon.....	44,941.82
Payroll Roads & Bridges Hon.....	16,054.03
R. & B. 4th Dist. Contr. carried over.....	14,619.06
Road Tax, Hon. Special Deposit.....	24,085.41
Emergency Appropriation.....	16,412.33
Fencing & Grading Government Lots.....	255.41
Public Grounds, General.....	217.38
R. & B. General, Koolauoko Curbing & Paving Gtd. Side-walks.....	692.06
Loan appropriations:	
Fort Street Extension.....	17,651.07
Fourth District Stables.....	7,364.50
Fifth District Stables.....	7,159.14
Hotel Street Extension.....	4,941.28
Kukui Street Extension.....	9,999.94
Manoa New Roads.....	9,984.89
Panahi Street Extension.....	3,525.22
Palolo New Roads.....	10,000.00
School Street Extension.....	54,879.44
Storm Sewers & Drains.....	2,664.80
Concrete & Stone Bridge, Waialae.....	164.25
Total.....	\$320,912.80

### BUILDINGS.

Following is a catalogue of public buildings, including school, built or contracted for, made up from the report:

Electric light station, brick with cement finish, Nuuanu; armories at Hilo and Waialuku, wood; jail and fire station, Waialuku; archives building, Honolulu, fireproof; small wooden court-houses, varying in cost from \$1500 to \$3500, at Hookeana, Pahala, Kapoho and Pahoa, Hawaii; Normal School, Honolulu, brick, 16 class rooms and assembly hall; manual training building, in connection with Normal; 5 teachers' cottages and 11 schoolhouses on Oahu, 7 teachers' cottages and 15 schoolhouses on Hawaii, 3 teachers' cottages and 12 schoolhouses on Maui and Molokai, 1 teacher's cottage and 9 schoolhouses on Kauai—a total of 16 teachers' cottages and 47 schoolhouses.

Repairs, additions and furniture to public buildings, under current expenditures, cost as follows:

Oahu.....	\$17,758.10
Maui.....	479.78
Kauai.....	15.13
Hawaii.....	2,121.76

Total.....\$20,374.77

### WATER WORKS.

"A large number of permanent improvements have been made to the water system for Honolulu, the most important being the construction of a 3 1/2-million-gallon reservoir at Kallih. This reservoir is connected by a separate 18-inch main with the Kallih Pumping Station."

By the connection of the Kallih system with the main from the Beretania Pump, the pressure in other parts of the town has been increased and it is not now necessary to run the Beretania pump as many hours every day as heretofore.

"In addition to the benefit derived from this reservoir is the increased supply now obtained from the Nuuanu reservoir. A new 18-inch main has been laid from the No. 1 reservoir to Beretania street, and there is also a separate main running from the reservoir as far as Judd street, twelve inches in diameter. From Judd street it runs to Luso street and supplies water to the Punchbowl and Makiki districts."

A 12-inch main is to replace the 4-inch main in this section.

"Plans were completed several months ago for the new reservoir in Nuuanu Valley, and the contract was awarded this month. This reservoir will have a capacity of about 450 million gallons and a maximum depth of about 55 feet. The area covered when the reservoir is full will be about 50 acres. With the completion of this important improvement, the water supply for Honolulu will be greatly increased, and it will not be necessary to limit the irrigation hours during the dry periods."

Deputy Superintendent Howland, in (Continued on page 6.)

## EWART OFF TO MEXICO

Geo. Ewart, lately manager of Kilauea sugar plantation on Kauai, and more recently a consulting plantation expert, has been sent for by C. Hedemann of the Honolulu Iron Works and his Mexican principals, who are interested in the opening up of a new sugar plantation in Mexico, to lay out the field plans, start a system of field accounts, explain methods of handling labor accounts, and begin the statistical part of the plantation business generally.

Mr. Ewart leaves on the Oceanic steamer Ventura next Tuesday. The plantation is fifteen miles from the Tehuantepec railway line.

A letter was recently received by Mr. Ewart from Mr. Hedemann, offering him the work, and this was followed up by a cablegram from the principals.

The plantation is to be equipped with a three-roller mill which is being built by the Honolulu Iron Works. American capital is behind the proposition.

Mr. Ewart was at one time manager of the Star mill in Kohala, Hawaii, and afterwards became manager of the Kilauea plantation. He is now a director in Olua plantation. He recently gave an expert report on Puna plantation and a little over a year ago went to Mexico in behalf of persons interested in a rubber plantation and gave an expert report thereon.

## SHERIFF KEOLANUI HAS BEEN SUSTAINED

Judge Parsons yesterday rendered a decision at Hilo, sustaining Sheriff Keolani in his claim of lawful power to appoint the policemen of the county of Hawaii, against the claim of the Board of Supervisors that the power was vested in them.

Under the advice of County Attorney Williams, Auditor Maguire refused to issue warrants for the salaries of the policemen appointed by the Board of Supervisors. The Board sued out a writ of mandamus to compel the Auditor to issue the warrants. It has lost the case and Hawaii will only have one set of policemen instead of the two sets attempting to act since county government went into effect.

Possibly there may be an appeal to the Supreme Court, but the result of this would be the same to the county. Only it might be the other set of policemen.

### C. P. R. BOATS MAY CALL.

It is reported that the Canadian Pacific steamers running between Victoria and Orient ports will have their runs changed so as to include Honolulu, coming and going. This line is known as the "Empress line," as all the steamers are named for some female ruler. The vessels now on the run are the Empress of India, Empress of Japan, Empress of China. Two new boats for the line were to be named after the Empress of Germany and Austria, but a new policy has developed and the liners will be named after colonies and integral parts of the British Empire.

### DANCE FOR A CHURCH.

A concert and dance will be held at the Peninsula pavilion, Ewa, on October 14, for the benefit of the Ewa native church. The concert will last from 8 to 9:30 and the dance from 9:30 to 11. Both will be under the direction of Rev. S. Timoteo. Town people can be accommodated with a special train, going and returning, tickets \$1. There will also be tickets at 50 and 25 cents, but the special train will make no stops between the terminal points. Refreshments will be served at a reasonable price.

## PLAQUE OF THE NIGHT.

Keeps Thousands of People in Honolulu Awake.

Keeps you awake; can't sleep a wink. Breeds misery by day, profanity by night.

Know what it is? Itching Piles. Itch, Itch, Itch. Nearly drives you crazy.

Itching away in any position, any time.

Doan's Ointment cures Piles, Eczema and all itching skin diseases.

Read what a local citizen says: William Preston has been a resident of Victoria, Australia, for over half a century and is at present residing at No. 65 Argyle St., St. Kilda. He says: "For some considerable time I have been troubled with Eczema on my legs. The irritation at times was very great especially at night, and it caused me considerable annoyance. I obtained a pot of Doan's Ointment and I must say that it allayed the irritation almost immediately. Doan's Ointment is a good remedy and I can highly recommend it for Eczema."

Doan's Ointment is splendid in all diseases of the skin, eczema, piles, hives, insect bites, sores, chilblains, etc. It is perfectly safe and very effective.

Doan's Ointment is sold by all chemists and storekeepers at 50 cents per box (six boxes \$2.50) or will be mailed on receipt of price by the Holister Drug Co., Agents for the Hawaiian Islands.